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Applicant: Silversten Examiner: Knoll, Clifford H.
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Title: Method and Apparatus for Suspending Communication with a Hard Disk
Drive in Order to Transfer Data Relating to the Hard Disk Drive

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP RCE
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Dear Sir:

The present communication is in response to the Office Action dated September 21, 2004. Please enter the following amendments to the specification and claims and consider the following remarks addressing all points raised by the Office Action as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.